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 DIRECTORATE OF REGULATORY OPERATIONS
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Metropolitan Edison Company
 Attention: Mr. J. G. Miller
 Vice President

Docket No. 50-289
 License No. CPPR-40

Box 542
 Reading, Pennsylvania 19603

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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. Spessard of this office on October 29-31, 1973 at the Three Mile Island 1 Plant, Middletown, Pennsylvania of activities authorized by AEC License No. CPPR-40 and to the discussions of our findings held by Mr. Spessard with Mr. Herbein, Mr. Miller and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during this inspection are described in the Regulatory Operations Inspection Report which is enclosed with this letter. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspector.

During this inspection, it was found that one of your activities appeared to be in violation of an AEC requirement. The item and a reference to the pertinent requirement are listed in the enclosure to this letter. This letter constitutes a notice sent to you pursuant to the provisions of Section 2.201 of the AEC's "Rules of Practice", Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations. Although Section 2.201 requires you to submit to this office, within 20 days of your receipt of this notice a written statement of explanation, we note that this violation was corrected prior to the completion of our inspection, and therefore, no response with respect to this matter is required.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the AEC's "Rules of Practice", Part 2, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and the enclosed inspection report will be placed in the AEC's Public Document Room. If this report contains any information that you (or your contractor) believe to be proprietary, it is necessary that you make a written application within 20 days to this office to withhold such information from public disclosure. Any such application must include a full statement of the reasons on the basis of which it is claimed that the information is proprietary, and should be prepared so that proprietary information identified in the application is contained in a separate part of the document. If we do not hear from you in

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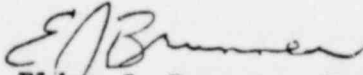
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this regard within the specified period, the report will be placed in the Public Document Room.

No reply to this letter is required; however, if you should have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,


Eldon J. Brunner, Chief
Reactor Operations Branch

Enclosures:

1. Description of Violation
2. RO Inspection Report No. 50-289(73-20)

cc: R. C. Arnold, Manager of Production, Met Ed
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